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AMUSEMENTS.

Grand Picnic at Sparks' Grove

Sunday Afternoon, Sept. 9.

New dancing platform, new swings and other amusements. Refreshments on the grounds. Come and spend a pleasant afternoon in Wichita's beautiful grove. Wagons will run from corner of Main and Harry streets.

The better class of people recognize a snap when you see it. That's why Israel has been making stirrings at the rate of thirty to fifty a day. His great removal sale ends October 1. Get in line.

RICHMOND, VA., AND RETURN, 75c.

Tickets on sale at the Frisco office, corner Main street and Douglas avenue, September 12 and 13. Good for return until September 25. B. F. DUNN, District Passenger Agent.

Kelso School of Music.

Mrs. Abbie L. Hays will return from her summer vacation this week and announce the opening of the fall term Monday, September 10th, 1900. 56-17.

California's Semi-Centennial.

An Admission Day Semi-Centennial Celebration will be held in San Francisco, California, September 3 to 11, inclusive.

Four days and nights of festivities. Gorgeous spectacular features. Well worth crossing a continent to participate in. Naval reviews, parades of United States troops, regattas, concerts, fireworks, field sports, excursions and many novelties of surpassing interest. The greatest celebration of its kind ever given in California.

The Santa Fe Route's new San Francisco line affords a quick and comfortable means of reaching the Golden Gate City. Round-trip tickets in sale. Inquire of:

Agent A. T. & S. F. Ry.

Notice.

This afternoon at Sparks' grove there will be another of those enjoyable picnics. Everything will be done for the amusement of the participants. There will be wagons running from the corner of Main and Harry streets.

SPECIAL RATES.

VIA FRISCO LINE.

SEPTEMBER 16 AND 25.

to all points in Missouri, Michigan, Wisconsin, Illinois, etc. Limit until October 31. For further information call at ticket office, corner Main street and Douglas avenue, or address the undersigned. B. F. DUNN, District Passenger Agent, Wichita, Kan.

Say that great removal sale at Israel's

Jewelry is still on. He must move October 1. His gallery is like a bee hive every day. When possible make your arrangements ahead. 74-17.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup

has been used for over FIFTY YEARS by MILLIONS OF MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE TEETHING, with PERFECT SUCCESS. IT SOOTHES THE CHILD, SOFTENS THE GUMS, ALLAYS ALL PAIN, CURES WIND COLIC and is the best remedy for DIARRHOEA. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" and take no other kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

HOME-SEEKERS' EXCURSIONS

VIA FRISCO LINE.

On sale August 7-21; September 4-18; October 2-16; November 6-20; December 4-18, 1900.

Call at city ticket office, corner Main and Douglas avenue, or address B. F. DUNN, District Passenger Agent, Wichita, Kan.

IMPROVED SERVICE

TO SAN ANTONIO VIA SANTA FE ROUTE.

Bedroom sleepers and free chair cars run daily without change via Fort Worth, Milano and Austin. Comfortable from start to finish. Train leaves Wichita daily at 7 a. m. L. R. DELANEY, Agent.

EXCURSIONS IN NEW MEXICO.

The Denver and Rio Grande railroad, "The scenic line of the world," has prepared an illustrated book upon the above subject, which will be sent free to farmers desiring to change their location. This publication gives valuable information in regard to the agricultural, horticultural and live stock interests of this section, and should be in the hands of every one who desires to become acquainted with the methods of farming by irrigation. Write S. K. Harper, G. P. and T. A., Denver, Colo.

EXCURSIONS.

To Various Places. Available via THE MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Ticket Office, 131 Main Street, Wichita, Kansas.

Yellowstone Park excursion, season 1900. Tickets on sale June 12th to September 12th, 1900. For information and rates call on or address the agent of the Missouri Pacific railway, Wichita, Kan.

E. R. BECKLEY.

P. and T. A., Wichita, Kan.

The Santa Fe will sell homesteaders' tickets on May 1 and 2, June 5 and 19, July 3 and 11, and August 7 and 21 to all principal points in Arizona, Indian Territory, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas, and points in Colorado east of Rocky Ford, at one fare plus 25c. For further information call on or address:

L. R. DELANEY, Pass. Agt.

Phone 125.

Daily Eagle, delivered, 10c per week.

Melted a Million

Scott McKeown Tells All He Remembers About the Process.

Scott McKeown, prince of modern spendthrifts, went through a million in a year, and he tells the New York Sunday World how it was done. His confession is a unique document. Other spendthrifts have blazed skyward, flared their brief life to the world's amazement and dropped to earth in the darkness, but none before has treated his contemporaries to such a complete and truthful record of his folly.

Ernest Benson, the "Jubilee Juggler" of England, left no memoirs of his sky-rocket career. Neither did Max Le-beau, the "Sugar Bowl" of France. Nor is Harry Thaw, of Pittsburgh, who is now making ducks and drakes of his father's millions in Paris, likely to do anything half so sensible.

Scott McKeown's story of the pace that kills is a daring glimpse for young men with millions—and young men without.

He tells his story from Los Angeles as follows: It seems like a dream flashing with colored lights like those we saw in New Orleans at the Mardi Gras last year. In the dream stands a shape with fellows and girls by the thousand in a circle round him. He is in the center, with the calcium lights turned square on him. That's me. But there is more to the dream. The lights blazed like fury for awhile and the hands played and the fellows cheered.

The girls? Oh, they did just what girls always do—looked pretty and took everything that was handed them.

The whole crowd in the dream simply made the earth whirl a little swifter while they were in the swim. They were very fast themselves, you know. Well, high lights, big crowd, good fellows, pretty girls and what goes with it, and then—curtain.

That's the dream. But it is no dream, as the fellow said in the play—it's the real thing. The money is all gone and so the lights are out. We're going home to the folks to forget it. How did the million slip? Nobody knows but Providence. He won't tell that in no way. I know exactly and all about it. We didn't keep books in our crowd. The cry was "A big for tomorrow and expense be—!" So there is no record of how all the elegant gift vanished.

It began this way. The McKeown fortune was originally a matter of several millions. My share came to me when I was twenty-one. I'm going on for twenty-three now. Most of my share was in ready cash, and what wasn't I soon converted into the coin that buys the flax stuff. It was all gilded—anyway and it was all mine. It could be spent. That was the trouble. I suppose it should have been tied up where Scott McKeown could simply have drawn his interest and let it go at that. But that is another story.

In 1898 I came to California. I had been here before. I knew plenty of fellows. Pretty soon I knew a lot more. It wasn't long before I had a crowd with me pretty much all of the time bigger than the one that used to follow John L. around.

But the more the merrier. That's what that Solomon said, didn't he? Well, they stayed with me. I could never lose one of them. I don't say I wanted to. Instead of losing any I got to know more and more men.

They weren't ends, you know, nor "partners." People are calling them those names now, and the newspapers are doing the same thing, because my money went into their pockets. But what they got from me they got when my eyes were open. I wasn't swindled. I paid for the lights and the music and the girls, and all that went to put the fiesta together, and I knew that the bills were to pay. So don't call the men "graters" nor the women—But, of course, you won't call the women any names of any sort.

I never gambled much. A little, of course. I don't suppose I lost more than \$500 on the craps and at poker. That sort of fun never appealed to me very much. If I had I could easily have dropped another million on that alone.

I paid the bills for a couple of years for my friends who travelled with me up and down the coast and occasionally East. Who were they? I said before they were too many to enumerate. There was Greer and Stackpole. Oh, I can't repeat even a few of their names.

Why, I gave one chap \$1200 to start him in business and make it possible for him to marry a nice girl. Dressed nice girl she was, too! His name? Pardon me, I'll have to omit that in this story. He was my friend.

Well, these people lived with me night and day for eleven months or so. We travelled. I paid all the bills. No man ever paid for anything when I was by.

I had a private secretary. Both Greer and Stackpole were my secretaries for a while. Maybe they had some sort of accounts, but I guess not. My lawyers, or the folks' lawyers, say I'm a terrible muddled. So I guess nobody kept score.

I remember one day a girl suggested that a trip to Coronado would be the proper caper. There were fifteen or twenty of us together on that day. We were in Los Angeles. Things were not very lively there, so everybody agreed that Coronado was the thing. We went. The wines were good at the hotel, and a lot of girls were there. We had driving in the daytime, some trolley-rides parties, a call or two to San Diego Bay, and at night dancing and cards and wine. You can bet some howled about that time. We string around the hotel.

All that time the train was waiting for us to go back to Los Angeles, or to any other old place on the map. They kept steam up for us five or six days, and needed the bill. Doctor, what a bill that was!

I was never stingy with money. A friend of mine could get what he needed. There is a politician in San Francisco that I guess would be in state prison if it wasn't for Scott McKeown's money. This fellow needed about \$1500 to make good with. He was that much short in his accounts. He had been out with a lot of cash and was a nice fellow, a dapper nice fellow. His friends told me about him. If he didn't get that money that night he was a goner. Well, he got it. I guess.

Well, there is a couple in Los Angeles, who live on Figueroa street, that I heard from. Did I get any security? Hush! Do I look like a Skyrocket? Certainly not. Well, then, I didn't want any security, Twigs?

The girls got anything they wanted from me. I gave my wife a necklace that cost \$2000 when we were married last May. I gave her a lot of jewelry before we were married. Most have been given away of pearls and diamonds in the lot. Of course, our wedding trip and honeymoon did away with a bunch of money.

The newspapers have made a great fuss about those \$20 gold pieces I threw away in the Palm Hotel Cafe in San Francisco the night before my wedding.

That wasn't much to talk about, it

FOR EXTERNAL AND INTERNAL USE

LET RADWAY'S READY RELIEF BE USED ON THE FIRST INDICATION OF PAIN OR UNEASINESS; IF THREATENED WITH DISEASE OR SICKNESS, THE CURE WILL BE MADE BEFORE THE FAMILY DOCTOR WOULD ORDINARILY REACH THE HOUSE. CURES THE WORST PAINS IN FROM ONE TO TWENTY MINUTES. NOT ONE HOUR AFTER READING THIS ADVERTISEMENT NEED ANYONE SUFFER WITH

ACHES AND PAINS

For headache (whether sick or nervous), lumbago, pains and weakness in the back, spine or kidneys, pains around the liver, pleurisy, swellings, the pains and aches of all kinds, the application of Radway's Ready Relief will afford immediate ease, and its continued use for a few days effect a permanent cure.

A CURE FOR ALL SUMMER COMPLAINTS.

A half to a teaspoonful of Ready Relief in a half tumbler of water, repeated as often as the discharges continue, and a flannel saturated with Ready Relief placed over the stomach and bowels will afford immediate relief and soon effect a cure in all cases of Diarrhoea, Dysentery, Cholera Morbus and Bowel Complaints of any kind.

Internally—a half to a teaspoonful in a half tumbler of water will in a few minutes cure Croup, Spasms, Stomach, Nausea, Vomiting, Heartburn, Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Sick Headache, Flatulency and all internal pains.

SOME TESTIMONIALS.

Messrs. Radway & Co., Gentlemen: I have been a great sufferer from nervousness, indigestion, and other ailments, and I give thanks to your good remedy, which has effected a permanent cure in my case. Henceforth our house shall never be without your valuable medicine, Radway's Ready Relief. You have my permission to publish this letter. Gratefully yours,

G. MILLS MCLURG, Justice of the Peace, Melbourne, Ont., Canada, April 23, 1899.

Dr. Radway & Co.: I have used Dr. Radway's Ready Relief for over twenty years, and find it to be the best medicine I have ever used. It cures all internal and external pains of all that I have tried, very respectfully, P. J. JOHNSON, Patchogue, N. Y.

Laplata, Charles Co., Md.

Dr. Radway: I have used your medicine for quite a number of years, and find that it is the best and quickest medicine for all internal and external pains of all that I have tried, very respectfully, P. J. JOHNSON, Patchogue, N. Y.

Malaria in its Various Forms Cured and Prevented.

There is not a malarial agent in the world that will cure Fever and Ague and all other malarial, bilious, and other fevers, aided by the pills, so quickly as Radway's Ready Relief.

Travelers should always carry a bottle of Radway's Ready Relief with them. Few drops in water will prevent sickness or pains from the change of water. It is better than French brandy or bitter as a stimulant.

BE SURE TO ASK FOR "RADWAY'S" AND SEE THAT YOU GET "RADWAY'S."

THERE IS NOTHING "JUST AS GOOD" AS RADWAY'S READY RELIEF.

PRICE 50 CENTS PER BOTTLE.

SOLD BY DRUGGISTS.

Radway & Co., 55 Elm Street, New York.

seems to me. Everybody was feeling good and nobody cared what happened.

Then I built this house that we are sitting in. It cost about \$50,000, I believe. I have invested a lot of money in the Patagonia Mine in Arizona. I put about \$30,000 in that, and I have assumed a mortgage on it, too.

I am more sorry for my wife, Dorothy, in this business than for anything else about it.

Her brother was an amateur playwright, and he wrote a play that Mr. Frohman said was excellent. Her brother died last year. She promised him on his deathbed that she'd have the play produced. Of course, that takes money. We haven't got money enough to do it, but some friends of Dorothy have advised her to go on the stage. I won't let her go if I can help it, though.

Anything worrying me now more than anything else is to get the names of my debts paid. How much do they amount to? The lawyers know; I don't. About \$30,000, I guess. Mother will pay them for me.

LETTER LIST.

List of letters advertised by the postmaster at Wichita, Kansas, for the week ending September 9, 1900.

LADIES LIST.

Baker, Mrs. E. M. Jones, Anna.

Burgess, Mrs. S. F. Kemp, Mrs. J. T.

Brooks, Mrs. C. Light, Milha.

Brew, Ellen F. Miller, B.

Bulfinch, Emma. Miller, Mrs. Mattie.

Bryant, Cecil. Mason, Lillie.

Casey, Lind. Nelson, Emma.

Caldwell, Maudie. Norton, Minnie.

Caldwell, Pauline. Phillips, Mrs. Geo.

Daunhauser, Apple. Reynolds, Mrs. B.

Flock, Lola. Renne, Mrs. Rachel.

Harley, Mrs. J. B. Holmes, Pearl.

Hildreth, Myrtle. Howard, Mrs. Robert.

Hudson, Matie. Snyder, Emma.

Hudson, Matie. Trible, Lauralie.

Hester, Mrs. E. J. Taylor, Mrs. P. O.

Hammond, May. Worth, Carrie.

Halbrook, Mattie. Young, Millie.

Johnson, Mrs. Jax. Johnson, Laura.

GENTLEMEN'S LIST.

Arnold, Will, Jr. Johnson, W. G.

Arnold, Walter. Johnson, E.

Arnold, Walter. Johnson, W. H.

Bolin, E. Jackson, Arthur H.

Burgess, Ben. King, Milla.

Cantrell, Brock. Kirkley, Mr.

Cantrell, Ernest. Loken, J. T.

Cantrell, Fred. Merritt, John E.

Caldwell, H. S. McKelvey, Tim.

Cooly, Wm. Menefee, Dennis.

Cotton, Church of Christ. McMillan, R. L.

Cantrell, J. B. Nulty, Robert.

Daniels, F. J. Nulty, Robert.

Davis, Ed. Ray, Fred.

Dunn, A. Ramsey, Ed. H.

Dunsmore, W. O. Salmon, Wm.

Ely, Austin. Shaver, C. C.

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Boston Store

WALLENSTEIN & COHN

MAIN & DOUGLAS

HERE'S NEWNESS...

An elegant showing of Fancy Waisting Silks, in the popular shades of gray, modes and tan. Priced up to \$3.25 per yard.

A full line of plain colored Peau De Soie, Poplins and Crystal Silks, in all colors, special attention being given to evening shades. You should see them.

At the dress goods counter we are showing many new novelties, besides all the popular fabrics of the Autumn season. Homespun, English Cheviots, Silk Figured Poplins, Camelshair and Snowflake Suitings.

We are receiving new goods daily in this Dress Goods Department of ours. Many select patterns are already here, but awaiting their turn to receive their selling mark. Then you must speak quick for in the lot are few poor ones. All the newness and style of the eastern markets will be here. With goods bought here, your costume will be as new and as striking as you wish.

Madam Willis, who will have charge of our Dressmaking Parlors for the coming season, has just returned from New York city, where she went to secure the latest styles. Further announcement will be made later. Watch for it.

BOYS' SCHOOL SUITS

Boys' All Wool School Suit, in neat checked patterns, well made, either single or double breasted, ages 4 to 12. \$148

Better Suit

Boys' All Wool English Cheviot, neat stripes, square cut only. Ages 8 to 12. Per suit \$250

Boys' Waists

We carry "Mother's Friend" Waists, the waist that wears. All kinds, colored or white, at 30c up to 75c

Corduroy Pants

The pants that wear come in grey only, sizes 6 to 15. Per pair 50c

Golf Caps

For the boys, made of all wool plaids, true Scotch style. Choice 25c

Ultra Shoes \$3.50

We are the sole agents for Moore-Shapers Ultra Shoes. It is the "Ultra" Shoe that fits well, wears well and looks well. We particularly want to call your attention to the cork cushion insole in the well shoe; it readily conforms to the foot and needs no breaking in.

Style 601

"The Debutante," a light dressy boot of patent leather calf, upper of English black cloth, a perfect beauty.

Style 602

"The Walking Boot," on the manish order, made of choice weight kid of most durable texture, very comfortable.

Style 604

"The Loubet," made of finest glazed kid, cork cushion insole. For style and beauty can't be beat.

Buy the "Ultra" \$3.50 Shoe

Ladies' \$2.50 Shoe

Fine violet kid, inlaid vesting, kid tip, opera heel, stylish and good fitting; every pair guaranteed. Per pair \$250

Button Shoes

"Button, button, who has the button," will soon be the cry among stylish shoe wearers. This is a violet kid button boot, semi-straight button tip, patent leather tip, half double extension sole. A truly good shoe. Per pair \$250

School Girls' Shoe

A shoe for the city school girl, neat, stylish and durable, made of cadet calf, straight kid tip, medium extension sole, warranted to stand rough wear; per pair \$250

Fancy Back Combs

A large lot of fancy shell Back Combs. The assortment of styles is large; worth from 10c to 25c. Choice 25c

Special

A large lot of fancy Branch Pins, nearly all different styles, and worth up to 10c each. Choice this week 10c

Baretta Pins

The new spray lock catcher, worn for both beauty and usefulness. These are of shell in round and crescent designs, priced at 10c and 15c. Choice 10c

Cuff Buttons

Fifty pairs of Pearl Lever and Link Cuff Buttons, sold usually at 25c. Choice, per pair 25c

Lucky Pins

Large assortment of Jeweled Horseshoe Branch Pins, very pretty and cheap. Each 30c

Towel

Selling Tomorrow

Good Green Colored Turkish Bath Towel. Each 6c

Jumbo Bath Towel

Made especially for large people; good quality Turkish Towel, 28 x 14 inches. Each 19c

Damask Towels

Fine Linen Damask Towel, knotted fringe, in all white or colored border, 16x20 inches. Each 25c

Huck Towels

All Linen Huck-a-back Towel, hemmed ends, colored border. Each 10c

Table Damask

Union Half Bleached Table Damask, 16 inches wide, several patterns, per yard 33c

Red Damask

Several Choice Patterns Turkey Red Table Damask, 14 inches wide, per yard 23c

Towel

Selling Tomorrow

Good Green Colored Turkish Bath Towel. Each 6c

Jumbo